



Response under 37 C.F.R. 1.116  
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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of:

Ting Tao, et al

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Serial No. 10/736,078

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**SECOND AMENDMENT AND REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION**  
**UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.116**

In response to the Office Action dated July 27, 2005 and Advisory  
Action dated October 31, 2005, please amend the above-identified application,  
without prejudice or disclaimer, as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on  
page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 5 of this paper.